



Town Hall Meeting



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Project Goals



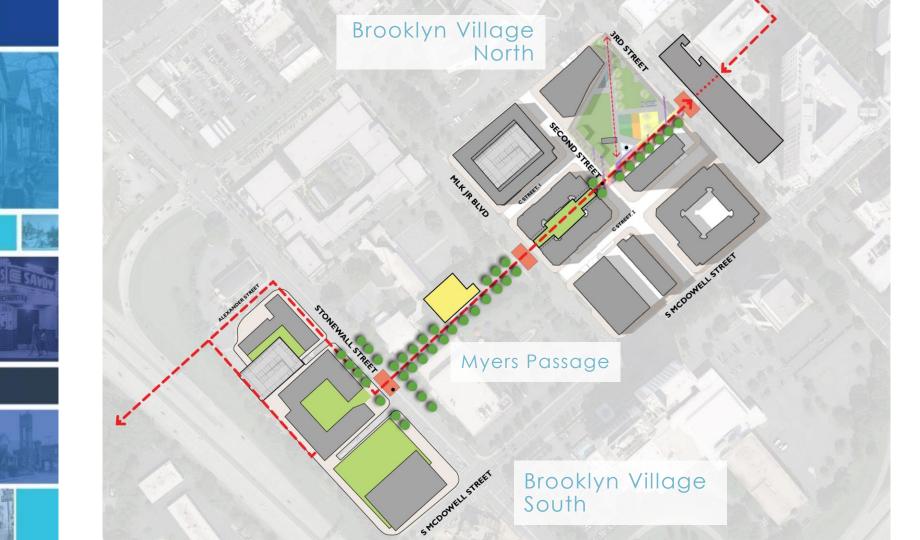
- Transformative development that meets Second Ward Master Plan goals:
 - Livable, walkable and memorable 18-hour urban neighborhood
 - Variety of housing types with unique infrastructure
 - Unique parks and open space
 - Workforce housing in each phase of development
 - Integration of historic references
 - Neighborhood approach to parking
- Connect Midtown to Uptown



Program

Brooklyn Village		
USE	Units	Sq. Ft.
Residential (mixed income apartments & condominiums	1,243 units	1,187,000
Office		680,700
Retail		252,100
Hotel	280 keys	185,500
Cultural		3,700
Open Space	1.8 acres	
Parking Spaces	2,312 spaces	
Brooklyn Village Total		2,309,000





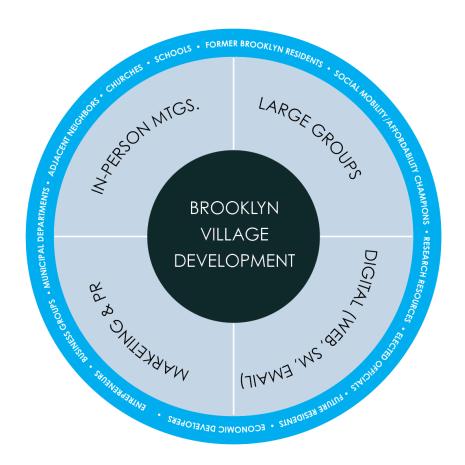




Outreach Strategies or Objectives:

- Broadest community cross section
- Variety of meeting times and locations
- Focus on key topics while inviting other thoughts
- Build in time for reflection and processing of feedback
- Present all public feedback to Board of County Commissioners

Who We Have Reached

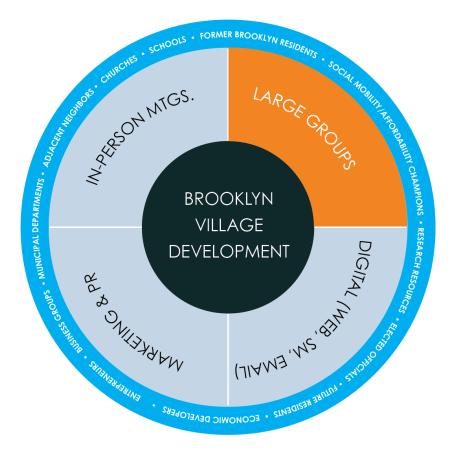














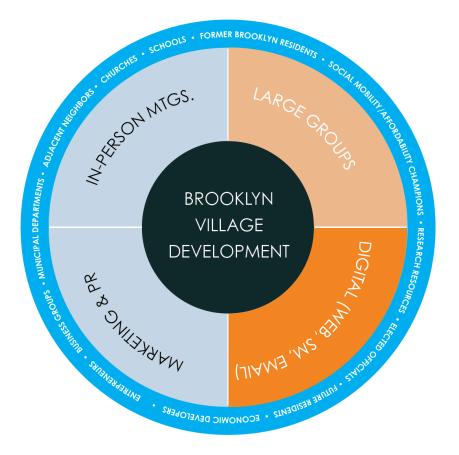
- Series of engagement meetings offered to provide opportunity for community input
 - 1 Kickoff Meeting
 - 8 Topical Public Sessions
 - 4 General Information Sessions
 - Town Hall























Digital Outreach

Brooklyn Village

225 Facebook Followers, 52 Posts, 2,088 Total Engagements 39,009 Impressions

116 Twitter Followers, 109 Posts, 308 Total Engagements, 15,990 Impressions

979 Unique Website Visitors, 1,449 Sessions

Media Outlets posted 15
Articles reaching 95,386
Followers

Mecklenburg County

5,190 Facebook Followers, 13 Posts, 472 Total Engagements, 17,017 Impressions

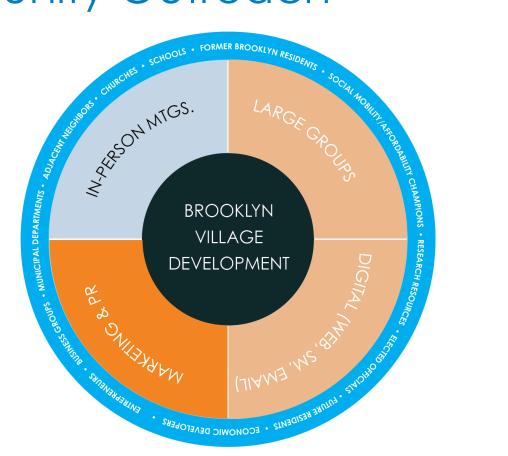
40,600 Twitter Followers, 39
#BrooklynVillage Posts,
1,109 Engagements, 65,936 Impressions

You Title 681 views of 9 Full-length Videos

645 Unique Webpage Visitors, 751 Sessions

242 Mecklenburg Co. GovDelivery newsletter subscriber

4,000 NextDoor App Users Reached





PR Outreach

Media Outreach and coverage in outlets including:









Mecklenburg TIMES





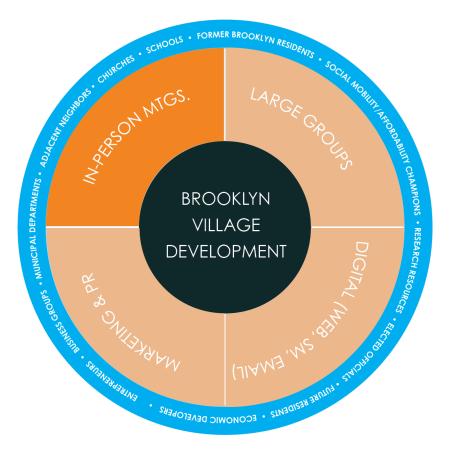






















In Person Meetings

Extensive Additional Meetings:

•	Commissioner Leake's Small Business Consortium Meeting	Attendees
•	Ubuntu Community Development Project	
•	Tuesday Morning Breakfast Forum	315
•	Second Ward High School National Alumni Foundation	013
•	Park & Recreation Commission	
•	Stonewall Consortium	
•	Harvey B. Gantt Center for African-American Arts +	
	Culture	

Personal Outreach:

•	Hand delivered invitations for History session to	13
•	original Brooklyn churches Targeted stakeholder groups & surrounding	170
•	property owners reached through Direct Mail Posted on different groups' Facebook pages	40

Number















Economic Opportunity/MWSBE Participation:

- Desire for MWSBE businesses and retailers to participate
- Challenge of access to capital for small businesses
- Need for job training (Entrepreneurial Academy)
- Economic diversity

Affordable Housing:

- Serve wider range of incomes
- More units
- For-sale affordable homes





Walkability & Connectivity

- Want walkable community, less reliance on cars
- Safe connectivity for seniors and others to surrounding businesses and services, parks and other parts of Uptown and Midtown

Arts & Culture:

- Space for arts and entertainment
- Desire for theatre or amphitheater for performing arts
- Relocation of Third Ward shotgun houses





History & Heritage

- Design that evokes Brooklyn, integrating historical imagery
- Incorporating Brooklyn names into development
- Myers Passage repeatedly well reviewed
- Statues, monuments and historical references







Open Space

- Preserve scale of existing park
- Programmable for community events
- Trees to provide shade
- Less hardscaping
- Fountains or water feature
- Family friendly space with features for children

General Comments

- Design Quality /Variety of Architecture
- Sustainability
- Opportunity for churches
- Seniors









Thank You!









Next Steps

- November meeting with Mecklenburg County Commission
- Confirm program elements
 - Consider thematic public input
 - Confirm market assumptions
- Contract negotiation
- Rezoning process/opportunity for community feedback
- Park design/community feedback
- Continued monitoring and stakeholder outreach



Questions?



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